



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
 United States Patent and Trademark Office  
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
 www.uspto.gov



Bib Data Sheet

CONFIRMATION NO. 3551

<b>SERIAL NUMBER</b> 10/734,356	<b>FILING OR 371(c) DATE</b> 12/12/2003 <b>RULE</b>	<b>CLASS</b> 703	<b>GROUP ART UNIT</b> 2128	<b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.</b> GF-FG FWC7
------------------------------------	---	---------------------	-------------------------------	--

**APPLICANTS**

Linda M. Normann, Glendale Heights, IL;  
 Charles L. Hines III, Hinsdale, IL;  
 Gene Michael Cox, Columbus, IN;

**\*\* CONTINUING DATA \*\*\*\*\***

This application is a CON of 09/661,019 09/13/2000 PAT 6,701,288 which is a CON of 09/070,612  
 04/30/1998 PAT 6,131,077  
 which is a CON of 08/714,193 09/16/1996 PAT 5,808,905  
 which is a CON of 08/466,361 06/06/1995 PAT 5,557,537  
 which is a CON of 08/261,760 06/17/1994 ABN  
 which is a CON of 07/876,003 04/29/1992 ABN  
 which is a CIP of 07/551,919 07/12/1990 ABN

**\*\* FOREIGN APPLICATIONS \*\*\*\*\***

**IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED\*\* SMALL ENTITY \*\***

\*\* 03/19/2004

Foreign Priority claimed <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no	STATE OR COUNTRY IL	SHEETS DRAWING 20	TOTAL CLAIMS 1	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS 1
35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance				
Verified and Acknowledged	Examiner's Signature <i>[Signature]</i>	Initials <i>VAT</i>		

**ADDRESS**

Olson & Hierl, Ltd.  
 36th Floor  
 20 N. Wacker Drive  
 Chicago, IL60606

**TITLE**

Method and apparatus for designing and editing a distribution system for a building

<b>FILING FEE RECEIVED</b> 385	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:	<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees ( Filing ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees ( Processing Ext. of time ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees ( Issue ) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Credit
---------------------------------------	---	--